

## Department of Veterans Affairs North Texas Health Care System: Dallas Veterans Affairs Medical Center

## **News Release**

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## **VA Will Sponsor Free Services at Community Health Fair**

DALLAS – VA North Texas Health Care System will host their 19th annual Community Health Fair Saturday, October 11. This year's event will be held 10 a.m. to 4 p.m. in the Atrium of Dallas VA Medical Center located at 4500 S. Lancaster Road. All services will be provided at no cost – except for mammograms (grants and insurance are acceptable). Flu shots will be provided for veterans and the community. No flu vaccines to children 6months or younger.

Services include:

Information: Legal Aid, Homeless Veterans Program, Pain

Management, Stress Management, Promise House

Information.

Testing: Cholesterol, Diabetes, Blood pressure, EKG, Bone

Marrow

Screening: Hypertension, Mental Health, Podiatry, Nutrition,

Alcohol and Drug Abuse.

Training: CPR (one-hour sessions at 10 a.m. and 1 p.m.)

The Community Health Fair is sponsored by Dallas VA Medical Center Equal Employment Opportunity.. For further information, please contact, Janie Sanchez RN at 214 857-1986 or Appalis Murray RN, 214 857-2354.

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